Kharak Singh Marg and K. Block area are attended to properly.

(b) Complaints received from local welfare associations are attended to urgently.

(c) Does not arise in view of the replies to parts (a) & (b) above.

Encroachment on plots in Tagore Park, Delhi

2371. SHRI J. P. GOYAL: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that plots Nos. N, O, P, and Q in Tagore Park Colony, Delhi-9, have been earmarked for commercial use and the DDA had taken possession of the same for construction of a shopping complex about a decade ago;

(b) whether it is also a fact that a part of these plots has been encroached upon by a taxi stand and a dhaba;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the remaining plots have become a dumping ground for refuse and a source of nuisance to the residents; and

(d) if so, when the DDA propose to get the encroachment vacated and to construct the shopping complex?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS AND IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) According to the Delhi Development Authority, plot Nos. N, O, P, & Q in Tagore Park Colony have been earmarked for commercial use. The entire land earmarekd for community facilities including construction of a Shopping Complex, in a residential complex developed by a cooperative house building society reverts to (and is not treated as having been taken over by) Delhi Development Authority, after development of the area by the society and the lease with the society is executed only in respect of residential plots.

(b) Yes.

(c) The Delhi Devlopmnt Authority has reported that a survey of the colony conducted recently revealed that some of the plots are not being put to the approved use i.e. residential purposes. Action, as envisaged under the terms ond conditions of the sublease deed, has been initiated against the defaulters.

(d) The Delhi Development Authority has reported that action is being taken to remove the encroachment so that construction of the shopping complex be taken up.

Special Region Districts for location of Industries

2372. SHRI SURESH KALMADI:
SHRI S. W. DHABE:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that on the lines of "no industry areas" a new category of special region districts has been decided upon by the Ministry for giving priority in location of industries;

(b) if so, what are the names of such regions;

(c) what priority has been fixed for these regions for the industrial development *vis-a-vis* "no industry districts"; and

(d) what are the reasons for creating a new category in preference to development of backward districts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI PATTABHI RAMA RAO): (a) No new category of backward areas has been decided upon by the Ministry. As a matter of fact, in the categorisation of backwerd areas in opera-